

## PORTLAND MARKETS

Latest Quotations in the Portland Markets.

Complete Market Reports Corrected Each Day Giving the Wholesale Prices of Commodities, Farm Produce and Vegetables.

Portland, Dec. 2.—This season has been a bad one for shippers of dressed beef, on account of the war between the Portland packing houses, which has forced the price of dressed beef below the cost of production. Commission men have been advising farmers not to kill their surplus cattle, but to keep them in condition for a later period, when stocks of range fed stock will have been exhausted. Some shippers, however, have been unable to heed the warning, and in sending in carcasses have been disappointed at the prices received.

"It would be better for farmers to slaughter their cattle for their home market," said a commission man today, "as they could probably realize not less than 4½¢ a pound, while if they send their beef to Portland while the war is on, they might not get even 3¢. I know of instances where the big packing companies of Portland have sold fine dressed steers to the retail butchers at 36¢/lb. Farmers who raise a few cattle cannot compete with these prices and I believe the packing houses are losing money on the goods as well."

## Grain, Produce, Feed.

Wheat—Walla Walla, 74¢/75¢; valley, 74¢/75¢; bluestem, 76¢/77¢; red, 69¢/70¢. Oats—White, 62¢; gray, 62¢. Barley—Brewing, 62¢/63¢; feed, 62¢/63¢; rolled, 62¢. Hay—Timothy, \$12.50/13; clover, \$8.50/9.00; cheat, \$7.50/8.00; alfalfa, \$10. Millstuffs—Middlings, \$24/25; chop, \$19/20; bran, \$19/20.00; shorts, \$21/22.

Flour—Hard wheat patent, 4.35; straight, \$3/4.00; graham, \$3.75; rye, \$5.00; whole wheat flour, \$4.00; valley flour, \$3.65/3.90; Dakota, \$6.50/7.25; Eastern rye, \$5.40; Pillsbury, \$6.30/7.15; Corvallis, \$3.70. Corn—Whole, \$28.00; cracked, \$29.00 per ton. Rye—\$1.50 per cwt.

## Produce.

Butter—Fancy creamery 25¢/27¢; city creamery, 27¢/30¢; dairy, 16¢/17¢; store, 14¢/15¢. Cheese—Young America, 15¢/16¢; Oregon full cream, 14¢. Eggs—Fresh Oregon ranch, 32¢/35¢; Eastern eggs, 25¢/27¢. Poultry—Old roosters, 8¢/9¢; hens, 10¢/11¢; springs, 10¢/11¢; broilers, 10¢/11¢; geese live, 8¢/9¢; dressed, 10¢/11¢; turkeys, live, 17¢/18¢; dressed, 20¢/21¢; ducks, old, 11¢/12¢; spring ducks, 14¢; pigeons, per dozen, \$1.00/1.25; squabs, \$2.00/2.50.

## Fruits and Vegetables.

California grapes—\$1.25/1.50. Honey—Dark, 10¢/11¢; amber, 12¢/13¢; fancy white, 14¢/15¢. Apples—Green, 75¢/80¢. Pears—\$1.25/1.50 a box. Grape fruit—\$2.50/3.00 crate. Huckleberries—7¢ per lb. Chanberries—\$12.50 per barrel. Tropical fruits—Lemons, fancy, \$4.50; choice, \$4.00 per box; oranges, \$2.50/3.00; bananas, 5¢ per lb; pineapples, \$3.50/4.00 per doz. Potatoes—Per sack, 65¢/70¢, car lots, country; jobbers' prices, 75¢/85¢; per 100 lbs., 75¢/90¢ sacks; cab-bages, per pound, 1¢/1½¢; celery, dozen, 75¢/85¢; onions, \$1.05/1.10, in country, \$3.50/4.00 per doz.

## TIDE TABLE, NOVEMBER

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Low Water.					High Water.						
A. M.		P. M.			A. M.		P. M.				
Date.	h. m.	ft.	h. m.	ft.	Date.	h. m.	ft.	h. m.	ft.		
Wednesday	1	9:25	2.8	10:35	0.5	Wednesday	1	4:00	7.4	3:32	8.6
Thursday	2	10:55	3.2	11:32	0.0	Thursday	2	4:57	7.0	4:29	8.0
Friday	3	12:05	3.3	12:05	3.3	Friday	3	6:01	6.9	5:35	7.3
Saturday	4	0:34	0.6	1:20	3.3	Saturday	4	7:09	6.9	6:58	6.9
SUNDAY	5	1:37	1.0	2:31	2.9	SUNDAY	5	8:14	7.1	8:11	6.7
Monday	6	2:44	1.3	3:34	2.3	Monday	6	9:08	7.4	9:19	6.7
Tuesday	7	3:35	1.5	4:27	1.8	Tuesday	7	9:54	7.7	10:15	6.8
Wednesday	8	4:25	1.7	5:12	1.3	Wednesday	8	10:34	7.9	11:05	6.9
Thursday	9	5:09	1.9	5:53	0.8	Thursday	9	11:10	8.1	11:48	7.1
Friday	10	5:48	2.1	6:30	0.4	Friday	10	11:45	8.1		
Saturday	11	6:23	2.4	7:01	0.1	Saturday	11	0:28	7.2	12:17	8.4
SUNDAY	12	6:55	2.7	7:31	-0.1	SUNDAY	12	1:06	7.1	12:45	8.5
Monday	13	7:25	2.9	8:02	-0.3	Monday	13	1:42	7.0	1:12	8.4
Tuesday	14	7:55	3.1	8:31	-0.2	Tuesday	14	2:20	7.0	1:41	8.4
Wednesday	15	8:26	3.3	9:05	-0.1	Wednesday	15	2:53	6.9	2:14	8.3
Thursday	16	8:54	3.4	9:44	0.0	Thursday	16	3:26	6.8	2:52	8.0
Friday	17	9:23	3.6	10:20	0.3	Friday	17	4:18	6.7	3:35	7.7
Saturday	18	9:53	3.8	11:00	0.7	Saturday	18	5:10	6.7	4:32	7.3
SUNDAY	19	10:25	4.0	11:42	1.0	SUNDAY	19	6:09	6.9	5:42	6.8
Monday	20	0:20	4.1	1:14	1.3	Monday	20	7:10	7.1	7:05	6.4
Tuesday	21	1:24	4.1	2:29	2.5	Tuesday	21	8:08	7.5	8:30	6.4
Wednesday	22	2:30	4.1	3:35	1.7	Wednesday	22	9:00	7.9	9:41	6.7
Thursday	23	3:32	4.0	4:32	0.8	Thursday	23	9:50	8.4	10:42	7.0
Friday	24	4:30	3.8	5:25	-0.1	Friday	24	10:40	8.9	11:38	7.3
Saturday	25	5:25	3.5	6:15	-0.8	Saturday	25	11:25	9.3		
SUNDAY	26	6:16	3.2	7:02	-1.3	SUNDAY	26	0:29	7.5	12:52	8.0
Monday	27	7:00	2.4	7:50	-1.5	Monday	27	1:18	7.6	1:52	8.0
Tuesday	28	7:52	1.6	8:35	-1.4	Tuesday	28	2:07	7.6	1:35	8.4
Wednesday	29	8:43	0.8	9:21	-1.1	Wednesday	29	2:55	7.5	2:22	8.1
Thursday	30	9:28	0.0	10:11	-0.6	Thursday	30	3:45	7.4	3:13	8.5

jobbers' prices, \$1.20/1.30; cucumbers, box, 50¢; beets, \$1 per sack; carrots, 75¢ per sack; garlic, 10¢; egg plant, 15¢ per pound; sweet potatoes, 2¢/2½¢; red peppers, 20¢ pound; house lettuce, 35¢ dozen. California vegetables—Green beans, 10¢ pound; green peas, 10¢; sprouts, 8¢; radishes, 25¢ dozen bunches; Chile peppers, \$1.25 box; tomatoes, \$1.25 box; head lettuce, 25¢ doz.; artichokes, 75¢ doz.

## Groceries, Provisions, Etc.

Sugar, sack basis—Golden C, \$4.95; extra C, \$5.05; powdered, \$5.65; patent cube \$5.80; cane, D. G., \$5.55; fruit sugar, \$5.55; beet sugar, \$5.45; barrels, cwt. 10¢; kegs, cwt. 25¢; boxes, cwt. 50¢ advance over sack basis, less ¼ lb. if paid for in 15 days.

Salt—Bales of 75-25, bale, \$1.60; bales of 60-35, bale, \$1.60; bales of 40-40, bale, \$1.60; bales of 15-105, bale, \$1.60; bags, 50¢, fine, ton, \$11.00; bags, 50 lbs., genuine Liverpool, ton, \$17.00; bags, 50 lbs., ½ ground, 100¢, ton, \$7.00; R. S. V. P., 20 5 lb. cartons, \$2.25; R. S. V. P., 24 3 lb. cartons, \$1.75; Liverpool lump, ton, \$18.50.

Rice—Imperial Japan, No. 1, \$8.95; Southern, Japan, 52¢; broken, 43¢; head, fancy, 7¢; head, choice, 6½¢.

Coffee—Mocha, 24¢/28¢; Java, fancy, 62¢/63¢; Java, good, 20¢/24¢; Java, ordinary, 17¢/20¢; Costa Rica, fancy, 18¢/20¢; Costa Rica, good, 14¢/18¢; Arabica, 16¢ per lb.; Lion 16¢ per lb.; Columbia coffee, 13½¢; Salvador, 11¢/15¢.

Provisions—Hams, to size, 13¢; hams, picnic, 9¢; bacon, regular, 12¢; bacon, breakfast, 13¢/15¢; dry salt sides, 11¢; hams, dry salt, 11¢.

Nuts—Walnuts, No. 1 soft shell, 15¢; No. 1, hard shell, 15¢; Chile, 13¢; almonds, 17¢; filberts, 14¢/15¢; Brazils, 14¢; pecans, 13¢/15¢; hickory, 8¢; Virginia peanuts, 7¢/7½¢; Jumbo Virginia peanuts, 9¢; Japanese peanuts, 5½¢/6¢; chestnuts, Italian, 14¢; cocoanuts, dozen, 75¢/80¢; new almonds, 16¢/17¢.

Figs—White, lb., 5 1/2¢/6¢; black, 6 1/2¢/7¢.

Beans—Small white, 4 1/4¢; large Lima, 7¢; Mexican, red, 9¢.

Pickled goods—Pickled pigs' feet, 1-2 barrels, \$5.00; 1-4 barrels, \$2.75; 15-lb. kits, \$1.25; pickled tripe, 1-2 barrels, \$5.00; 1-4 barrels, \$2.75; 15-lb. kits, \$1.25; pickled pigs' tongues, 1-2 barrels, \$6.00; 1-4 barrels, \$3.00; 15-lb. kits, \$1.50; pickled lamb's tongues, 1-2 barrels, \$9.00; 1-4 barrels, \$5.50; 15-lb. kits, \$2.75.

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Lard—Kettle-rendered: Tierces, 11¢; tubs, 11 1/4¢; 50¢, 11 1/4¢; 20¢, 11 3/8¢; 10¢, 11 3/4¢; 5¢, 11 7/8¢; Standard pure: Tierces, 10¢; tubs, 10 1/4¢; 50¢, 10 1/4¢; 20¢, 10 3/8¢; 10¢, 10 3/4¢; 5¢, 10 1/4¢; 5¢, 9¢. Compound: Tierces, 7¢; tubs, 7 1/4¢; 50¢, 6 3/4¢; 20¢, 7 1/4¢; 5¢, 7 3/4¢.

Sausage—Portland ham, 13 1/2¢ per lb.; minced ham, 10¢; summer, choice dry, 17 1/2¢; bologna, long, 5 1/2¢; wiener, wurst, 8¢; liver, 5¢; pork, 9¢; blood, 5¢; headcheese, 12 1/2¢; bologna sausage, link, 4 1/2¢.

Raisins—Loose Muscatels, 3-crown, 7 1/2¢; 2-crown, 6 1/2¢; bleached seedless Sultanias, 7¢/12¢; unbleached seedless Sultanias, 6 3/4¢; London layers, 3-crown, whole boxes of 20 lbs., \$1.85; 2-crown, \$1.75.

Dried Fruit—Apples, evaporated, 9¢ per lb.; sundried, sacks or boxes, none; apricots 11¢/12¢; peaches, 10¢/11¢; pears, 10¢/12 1/2¢; prunes, Italian, 6¢/6 1/2¢; French, 3 1/2¢; figs, Cal. blacks, 5 3/4¢; do, white, none; Smyrna, 20¢; Fard. dates, 6¢; plums, pitted, 6¢.

Cereal foods—Rolled oats, cream, 90-lb. sacks, \$6.75; lower grade, \$5.00/6.25; oatmeal, steel cut, 50-lb. sacks, \$8 per bale; 10-lb. sacks, \$4.25 per bale; oatmeal (ground), 50-lb. sacks, \$7.50 per bale; 10-lb. sacks, \$4.00 per bale; split

peas, \$4.00 per 100-lb. sack; 25-lb. boxes, \$1.15; pearl barley, \$4.25 per 100 lbs.; 25-lb. boxes, \$1.25 per box; pastry flour, 10-lb. sacks, \$2.50 per bale.

Canned salmon—Columbia river, 1-lb. tins, \$1.85; 2-lb. tins, \$2.50; fancy 1-lb. flats, \$2.00; 1-2-lb. fancy flats, \$1.25; fancy 1-lb. ovals, \$2.75; Alaska tins, pink, 90¢; red \$1.45; nominal, 2¢, tall, \$2.00.

Mason fruit jars—Half-gallons, per gross, \$1.00; quarts, \$7.50; pints, \$6.55; extra caps, per gross, \$2.35.

Economy fruit jars—Half-gallons, per gross, \$13.35; quarts, \$10.60; pints, \$8.85; extra caps, \$1.85.

Everlasting fruit jars—Half-gallons, \$12.50; quarts, \$8.50; pints, \$7.50; extra caps, glass, \$2.30.

## Fresh Meats and Fish.

Fresh meats—Veal, small, 7 1/2¢/8¢; large, 3½¢/5¢; pork, 7¢/7½¢; beef, bulls, 1 1/2¢/2¢; cows, 3 1/2¢/4¢; steers, 4 1/2¢/5 1/2¢; mutton, 6¢/6 1/2¢; lambs, 7¢/7 1/2¢.

Oysters—Shoalwater bay, per gallon, \$2.25; per sack, \$3.75 net; Olympia, per sack, \$5.25; Eastern transplanted, \$1.60 per 100 lbs.

Clams—Hardshell, per box, \$2.00; razor clams, \$2.00 per sack.

Fish—Crabs, per dozen, \$1.50; Shoalwaters, gallon, \$2.25; halibut, 6¢; black cod, 7¢; bass, per lb., 15¢; herring, 5¢; 7¢; bass, per lb., 12 1/2¢; herring, 5¢; sounders, 5¢; catfish, 8¢; lobsters, per lb., 12 1/2¢; silver smelt 7¢; shrimp, 10¢; perch, 5¢; sturgeon, 8¢; silverside, 6¢; sea trout, 12 1/2¢; black bass, 20¢/25¢; Yaquina chinook salmon, 6¢.

Grain bags—Calcutta and domestic, 7 1/2¢.

Wool—Valley, 26¢/27 1/2¢; Eastern Oregon, 18¢/20¢.

Tallow—Prime, per lb., 3¢/3 3/4¢; No. 2 and grease, 2¢/2 1/2¢.

## Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

Hops—New crop, 10¢/12¢; old crop, 10¢ water bay oysters, per sack, \$4.00; oysters, 12¢.

Hides—Dry hides, No. 1, 16 lbs. and up, 16¢/16 1/2¢ per lb.; dry kip, No. 1, 6 to 15 lbs., 14¢/15¢ per lb.; dry calf, No. 1, under 5 lbs., 17¢/18¢; dry salted, bulls and stags, one third less than dry flint (culls, moth-eaten, badly cut, scored, murrain, hair-slipped, weather-beaten or grubby, 2¢/3¢ per lb. less); salted hides, steers, sound, 60 lbs. and over, 9¢/10¢ per lb.; 50 to 60 lbs., 8 1/2¢/9¢ per lb.; under 50 lbs. and cows, 8¢/9¢ per lb.; salted stags and bulls, sound, 6¢ per lb.; salted kip, sound, 15 to 30 lbs., 9¢ per lb.; salted veal, sound, 10 to 14 lbs., 9¢ per lb.; salted calf, sound, under 10 lbs., 10¢ per lb. (green, unsalted, 1¢ per lb. less; culls, 1¢ per lb. less). Sheep skins: Shearings, No. 1 butchers' stock, 25¢/30¢ each; short wool, No. 1 butchers' stock, 40¢/50¢ each; medium wool, No. 1 butchers' stock, 60¢/80¢; long wool, No. 1 butchers' stock, \$1.00/1.50 each. Murrain pelts, from 10 to 20 per cent less, or 12¢/14¢ per lb.; horse hides, salted, each, according to size, \$1.50/2.00; dry, each, according to size, \$1.50; colts' hides, 25¢/50¢ each; goat skins, common, 10¢/15¢ each; Angora, with wool on, 25¢/35¢ each.

Mohair—Choice, 30¢/32¢.

Feathers—Geese, white, 35¢/40¢; geese gray or mixed, 25¢/30¢; duck, white, 15¢/30¢; duck, mixed, 12¢/15¢.

Beeswax—Go-4, clean and pure, 20¢/22¢ per lb.

Coal oil—Pearl and astral oil, cases, 20¢/24¢ per gallon; waer white oil, iron barrels, 15¢; wood barrels, 17¢; eocene oil, cases, 24¢; elaine oil, cases, 27¢; extra star, cases, 23¢; iron barrels, 17¢.

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Benzine—Sixty-three degrees, cases, 22¢; iron barrels, 17¢.

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Lined oil—Boiled: In barrels, 53¢; cases, 62¢. Raw: In barrels, 52¢; in cases, 58¢ gallon.

Gasoline—Stove gasoline, cases 24¢; iron barrels, 18¢; 80 degrees gasoline, cases, 32¢; iron barrels or drums, 26¢.

Rope—Pure Manila, 14¢; standard, 13¢; Sisal, 11¢; Isle brand Sisal, 9¢.

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